

# DR. WEAVER AVERS GOVERNMENT NEEDS DEPT. OF MEDICINE

Lieutenant Declares Control of Medicine and Surgery Would Be Death to "Quacks." Calls Attention to Fact That a Physician's Certificate Is Not a Panama Canal Passage.

New, that the railroads have been placed under governmental control and there is much talk about creating a "Department of Munitions" with a cabinet, why not create a "Department of Medicine and Surgery" and make the head of it a cabinet member?

Government Control of Medicine Does "Quacks" No Good. The federal government, which has certainly closed the doors of the "Quacks," thus, not only providing a financial benefit to the many innocent

victims on whom "Quacks" incessantly prey but affording ample opportunity for the effective scientific, medical and surgical progress to a hope less end.

The world has never shown but little appreciation for the deeds of its benefactors; in most times and countries, starvation, only the most common death, have always been the market prices the world has offered for wisdom and service and the welcome which it has greeted those who come to bring peace and prosperity.

"Four hundred and fifty nurses and one hundred army surgeons perished in the great campaign, and in the line of duty during the war of the southern rebellion."

"They have been absolutely ignored by the historians and are unknown by posterity because they chose to heal rather than inflict, and to save rather than destroy."

A Physician Made Possible Construction of Panama Canal. The Republic of France made several unsuccessful attempts to build the Panama Canal, and each of them failed to abandon the task on account of the continued loss of so many of the "Quacks."

Gen. William Shafter, then an army surgeon with the rank of major, discovered the elements to be taken into consideration in this death spreading disease and upon his recommendation the United States government took the necessary steps to make it possible for people to live in the canal zone with as much impunity as they could in other parts of the country.

Though he paved the way for his fatherland to construct the canal, which has made it the center of the commerce of the world, and which has been erected to perpetuate his memory.

The only reward he has received from an ingrateful Republic is a place in the cold records of the War Department, like other men of his kind, who are forgotten by the world and others can do justice to his deeds.

Physicians Were First to Be Killed. When German artillery threatened the safety of the nation the physicians were the first to be killed in the line of duty, their wives, children, mothers and sweethearts a long farewell and then to the blood stained battlefields of Flanders.

"If they are first in war and first in peace, why not first in the hearts of their countrymen?"

The "Quacks" are the Atlas who bear the weight of the world. They cannot understand how a man can be among them every day going from house to house, healing the sick, and giving sight to the blind, and then be gone.

One of us appreciate the intricate work of that unassuming, yet illustrious, Dr. John M. Weaver, who was the highest mountain peak in the ranges of men, and the earthquake that shook his feet and the chains on earth and a gem in the clouds. Thousands of people die every year from diseases that could be cured by the healing art was under the control of the government, and if some foreign fee were to kill only a small

part of that number of Americans, blood would drip from the pens of every editor and the country would be upon the lips of every woman and man, and children, and they are just as dead as if they had been shot with a bullet cannon.

More Attention Paid to Hogs and Cattle Than to this People. Through the recommendation of the Department of Agriculture, large appropriations are annually made for the prevention of diseases among hogs and cattle, and if we had a Department of Medicine and Surgery, large appropriations would be made for the prevention of diseases among people.

It is plainly evident that the squealing of hogs attacked by cholera is more appealing to the ears of our representatives than the moans and groans of human beings that are dying from preventable diseases.

Warning to America. Unless America only learns to regard the man who carries the "pill bug" as much a part of the national defense as the man who shoulders the rifle or stands behind the cannon and who is not less deadly a foe to the country than the most hostile foreigner, the song we sing of "the land of the free" will be but an empty bubble and a poetic dream.

I sincerely believe if the healing art is put under the control of the Federal government the physicians will get just the public will get better service, the population will be increased, and there will be no need of an annual influx of spies and foreigners who always bring with them some of the most filthy diseases that ever claimed the attention of medical science.

Create a Department of Medicine and Surgery to co-operate with each state Department, which in turn will co-operate with every city Department and by so doing we will build an impregnable wall of defense around the bodies and lives of the American people that no disease will ever be able to penetrate.

Darrington Weaver, M.D., First Lieut. M.O.R.C., U. S. A.

REV. BUNDY VISITS ST. LOUIS

Rev. Bundy of Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of Dr. E. N. Bundy, who is still incarcerated at Bellevue in St. Louis, arrived here a few days this week in connection with the officers of the local branch of the A. A. P. E. C. C. for the purpose of arranging bond for his son.

He stated that he was well pleased with the treatment his son had received given him by the Association.

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# PATRONS OF THE LOCAL BRANCH OF THE N.A.A.C.P. HOLD AN ANNUAL MEETING

Dr. John W. Day Re-elected President. Officers Make Annual Report and Delegate to the National Conference Deliver Message.

The local branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People held a very enthusiastic meeting at Berea Presbyterian Church, last Wednesday evening. The reports from the former show that the work had been done during the past year by the branch.

The following officers of the local branch were elected: President, Rev. J. W. Day; 2nd Vice-President, Rev. H. Rock; 1st Vice-President, Rev. McKinney; Secretary, Miss C. F. Wilkerson; Treasurer, W. H. Hoffman.

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# ANOTHER SCIENTIST

By C. Collins, Mentalist.

Let me help you in your business pursuit for 1918. Perhaps you can help me in all ways in life. It is a gift from God through the "Medium of Concentration."

So mysterious is it to us that we are not able to give you a clear observation of its operation. But let us consider the power of mind from a psychological point of view.

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# GRADUATES OF THE LINCOLN INSTITUTE HAVE ADVANTAGES

It may be of interest to the friends of Negro Education in Missouri, that the graduates of the Lincoln Institute are accepted in lieu of an examination to teach in the public schools in Oklahoma, Illinois and Kansas.

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# DEFENSE COUNCIL STARTS FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN TO DRIVE

Opens New Headquarters. Money Needed to Buy Yarn to Knit 650 Sets of Woolen Garments. Report on Christmas Fund.

The Colored Women's Unit of the Council of Defense is conducting a financial campaign and every individual is asked to donate as much as possible to this work. We want to knit 650 sets of woolen garments for the 650 St. Louis boys in service. Every individual is asked to donate as much as possible to this work.

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## OUT OF TOWN NEWS

### CARE GIRARDEAU, MO.

Mr. Butterworth who for the past few weeks has been a guest at the home of Mrs. Addie Jackson, has been very ill but is convalescent at this writing. Miss Eugenia Jones was called to Allenville to assist her sister during the illness of her husband, Rev. H. D. Dredahl who has been ill several weeks. The snow storm of last week was one of the worst we have ever known since the winter of 1872 in the report of the citizens. The "Poro" of the rural district were suffering with dandruff, hair loss, and indeed get the schools themselves, yet a fair attendance was reported at church services. On account of the crippled train service the Argus was late and deliveries uncertain. On the Argus reporter after her long illness, the sale of extra copies of the paper will be discontinued. Mrs. Anne Armstrong, while on her way to church meeting night, slipped and fell spraining her ankle. Her husband, Mr. Frank Armstrong was accidentally shot in the back while hunting with a lad, Rayson Thomas. Both are better.

### FARMINGTON, MO.

By D. W. F. Baker

Miss Sophia Mudd is recovering from a recent illness. Mr. Peter Swink is enjoying a visit with home folks. Mr. Clark Baker has been duly ap-

pointed vice chairman of one of the committees of Thrift Stamp and War Certificates of this county. The other members are Felix Pousty, James Robinson, Mrs. Ross Robinson and Miss Dyer. F. Baker, Mrs. Mary Lane Bridges received the aid and intelligence of the demise of her brother, Lewis Bridges, of St. Louis, who has been ill for some time. Her sister, Mrs. Alle Magness of Oklahoma City spent the week-end at her home. The receipt of last week announced the death of a young student of the college in the person of Mr. Walter Cayce. The friends of Mr. Walter Matthias are glad to know that he is up and about. On account of the Camp-Funkston. A letter from J. Elmer Bridges at Lincoln Institute states that the school year is a busy and interesting one. The severe weather caused the percentage of attendance at Douglas School to run lower than it has for years. This was due to the fact that the majority of pupils live the greater distance away from the school. Mrs. Henry Wilburn and Little Son, Henry Lewis are getting along nicely. Mr. Mary Cayce has fully recovered. Mrs. Wm. H. Brown's daughter, Clara Meyer is quite ill at Crystal City. Mrs. J. H. McCallister and Mrs. Jane Hunt entertained guests in their homes last week. St. Paul M. E. church will hold memorial service in remembrance of the epidemic service rendered by Dr. R. E. Gillam, ex-dict. By his works shall we ever remember him.

## CHURCHES

### ST. PAUL CHURCH NOTES

St. Paul, 311 E. 25th were. "We have" toiled all the night and "taken in nothing, nevertheless, at Thy word will let us be set free." The above was the theme from which Dr. Johnson delivered a powerful but short and full sprightly sermon. So clear and striking were his illustrations of the Master and his disciples on the Lake of Galilee that the congregation almost imagined that they could see the wonderful amount of fish that were caught by those obedient fishermen. Just here the pastor related several historical events that transpired on or near this notable shore of the lake. The results of obedience and of disobedience were contrasted by the pastor, who laid great stress upon the former. He then the pastor urged his hearers to be "True fishers of mankind." They must be possessed of the same spirit that characterized our Saviour. Hear Him Sunday morning as he has a special message for the people. Mr. F. H. Bush and his co-workers are making extensive preparations to entertain the public at St. Paul, Feb. 22 with a musical, embracing some of the leading talent of the city.

### NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

2719 Morgan St.

Preaching Sunday at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday school 1 p.m.; B. F. P. with a new sermon every second Sunday. Rev. J. F. Greenwood of Memphis, Tenn., pastor; Ross Robertson, secretary.

### WAYMAN A. M. E. CHURCH

Wayman A. M. E. Church, 23rd and Wash Sts. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday school 1 p.m. Allen C. E. League 6:30 p.m. Class meeting Tuesday 8 p.m. Prayer meeting Tuesday 8 p.m. On the 23rd and 24th the Presiding Elders' Council of the Fifth Episcopal District will convene at Wayman A. M. E. Church. We hope to have all churches present. Our Bishop, Dr. Parks will be present, and we invite all to come and hear this great man. Visiting ministers from all over the West and Midwest will be in California. A program will be rendered for the occasion. The pastor, Rev. A. E. Dobbins, has turned the eyes of the whole district on Wayman.

### SUNDAY SERVICES AT ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock by Father Gallagher, subject, "Jonah." Sunday school at 12:30 p.m. Rev. St. Bible class for men at 7 o'clock; organ recital at 7:45; evening prayer at 8 o'clock. All are welcome to these services.

### METROPOLITAN NOTES

A great revival has begun at Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church. It is a church where something is doing all the time. The Rev. Dr. Wm. Bascom, the presiding elder and evangelist, of the Albany conference, is conducting the meetings. Dr. Bascom is presiding elder over the famous Tuckagee district. He

takes great pride in stating that he holds the distinction of presiding over the church of which Tuckagee was the pastor. He is a great preacher, full of enthusiasm and fire, and he is one of the typical Southern gospel preachers, who sweeps everything before him. His his Sunday morning at 11 a.m. Rev. Shaw the pastor is doing what he can to assist the evangelist in the success of the meeting. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings. Come every night.

### THE TABERNACLE

A remarkable crowd greeted the pastor Sunday morning. He preached a beautiful sermon. The pastor will preach a series of six biblical sermons, while the members will make a crusade which it is hoped will have a great effect on the people of the neighborhood. Mr. W. H. Brown's president of one hundred black committee meeting Sunday morning. Mr. Susan Mason, president of the Progress Club, was acting secretary. Until further notice all services will be held in the Sunday School department.

### Sunday School League Notes

Mr. Charles Quinade, former vice president of the Epworth League, has joined the navy and is now at Newport News, Va. Among the Epworth League boys at Camp Paden are: Mr. Fred Thompson, member of Epworth; Mr. James W. Wray, member of Epworth; Mr. Robert Johnson, nephew of the pastor, Henry Simmons, member Epworth; Mr. M. E. E. and Robert Person, son of Mr. R. O. Person, president of the class leaders services were very interesting Sunday evening. The crowds are fast increasing. Wednesday evening the 20th, the Literary Department will hold a debate and quiz box. The subject for next Sunday will be "Young Christian Reaching Outward." Scripture reading will be found in the 6th chapter of Galatians. Meeting opens at 7:30 p.m. We wish to inform those interested that the John Mark debate is over.

### Our Missionary Department

Last year the church did a great amount of missionary work, but if plans are successful this year, all past records should be broken. The missionary cause is large and great and cannot be taken care of by occasional dropping 5 or 10 cents in the missionary box. It does not merely consist of building churches and missions and there are many other things that will help the cause as much as money. The missionary department is planning a great drive. "In. Ella Howell is the president, and Mrs. Doug Bradford is secretary. Five hundred names will be provided, one to be placed in each home. Each box will hold \$2.50. The fourth Sunday May which will be the great day the boxes will be called in. But before this time the mission department will put forth several smaller efforts. Parish socials and concerts will be given. Mr. Ross has promised the department a day each month in the Sunday School. We are trying to raise \$1,000. We believe we can do it. For with the type ultra modern ladies at the head of affairs the outlook is most pleasant.

## "OLD SIGNS DO NOT DECEIVE"

Watch out for these three.

**PALMER'S SKIN SUCCESS Ointment** **PALMER'S HAIR SUCCESS Dressing** **PALMER'S SKIN SUCCESS Cream**

They stand for Merit and Reputation.

This Ointment successfully used for eighty years, in thousands of cases of skin troubles.

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## SPRITUAL CHRISTIAN UNION

Spiritual Christian Union Church, 2721 Franklin Ave. Services Sunday and Friday evenings at 8:00 o'clock sharp. S. W. Wainwright, pastor; assisted by L. Cooper, M. Owens, secretary.

## CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALITY

The Christian Spiritual Union Church has moved from 2239 Pine St. to 217 N. Leonard Ave. Services Sunday and Friday evenings at 8:00 o'clock sharp. S. W. Wainwright, pastor; assisted by L. Cooper, M. Owens, secretary.

## ARE YOU A FETTERED?

Don't stand on the corner and see your friends go by. Get in the game! Join the Uniform Rank. Any company is what you make it. Pythian O. A. offers you special inducements. See your officers any night at Pythian Hall.

## WHERE TO GET THE ARGUS

The St. Louis Argus is sold on the streets and delivered to the home by more than a score of newboys, at five cents a copy and also be got at the following places:

- Gluck's News stand.....2304 Market
- Johnson's News stand.....2122 Market
- Manhattan.....2319 Market
- Barney, Druggist.....2101 Market
- Fry Drug Store.....29th and Market
- Watson, Druggist.....3150 Locust
- Hartmann, Druggist.....2334 Chouteau
- Schultz, Druggist.....200 S. Jefferson
- Crawford, Grocer.....2530 Papin
- Williams, Druggist.....2628 Morgan
- Keen, Druggist.....2600 Washington
- Stark Finney Pharm.....4100 Finney
- Harris, Druggist.....100 N. Jefferson
- Schmidt, News stand.....404 N. Barn
- Bradford, Druggist.....1026 Whittier
- Bonner's Drug Store, Pendleton and N. Market
- The People's Pharmacy, 2224 Market.

## FOOD

- 1-day it with thought
- 2-cook it with care
- 3-serve just as you like
- 4-eat what will
- 5-enjoy it

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## AND LOCAL NOTES

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Miss Lillie Blye, 4201 W. Belle, is quite ill at the City Hospital.

Who is Dolly Dimple? Come to the Battle of Flowers.

Rev. C. H. Greene of Charleston, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Baker of 2829 Bernard St.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Harris spent the holidays with Mrs. and W. L. Major of 4246 West Belle St.

Mrs. P. A. Harrison of 2705 Eugenia, who fell and broke her back would be pleased to see her friends at 2618 Clark Ave.

Mrs. J. W. Spain of 4201 W. St. Ferdinand is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Reid at Annapolis, Md.

Master Curtis King, of Chicago, Ill., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Shields, of 2818 Easton Ave.

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Mrs. Addie Moore of 2659 Bernard and sister, Mrs. Anna Mickle have returned from Chicago after an extensive stay. She was called away to the bedside of her sister who underwent an operation.

Dr. E. L. Grant has returned from the hospital where he has been confined with relatives and friends and is now at his post of duty, 103 N. Jefferson Avenue.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Reynolds, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Green of 4238 Cottage, left Tuesday for Platt, Miss., where she will join her sister.

Miss Leona Montgomery of 2108 Lucas, after two weeks serious illness is able to resume her studies in the Normal at Sumner High School.

Prof. J. Arthur Freeman has returned from the hospital where he has been confined in health. He is hopeful of being able to resume his duties as principal of the Whately school in a short time.

Miss Nora Hampton has returned home from the hospital where she has been confined with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Johnson of 2739 Webb St.

Mrs. Marie Hawkins was at home in honor of Miss Beulah Gray of San Francisco, formerly of St. Louis, last Sunday, at a cousin dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Hathaway of 4405 West Belle Pl. have returned from a week's visit to the city with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hathaway, at Alamo, Tenn.

Mrs. Juanita Jones, of Milwaukee, Wis., after an absence of 28 years, returned to St. Louis to spend the holidays with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Coates of 3230 Owens Ave. Mrs. Jones left for Milwaukee last Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Stewart, of Chicago, Ill., agent for the Idlewild Resort Co., in Michigan, returned to the city last week to take up her winter quarters with her mother, Mrs. Clyde Bell Patton, 18 St. Louisville Ave. Mrs. Stewart is 2001 Pine.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Higgins, formerly of Pine Bluff, Ark., spent Sunday in the city, en route to Denver, Colo., where they are making their home. Mrs. Higgins is a sister of Ernest and David Patton, this city.

The Pioneer New Thought Club will meet Saturday afternoon, Jan. 20, in room No. 1, Central Library Bldg., at 3:30 o'clock. Topics for discussion, "Elements of Paganism in Christianity." The public is invited.

Because of the cold weather Friday night, Miss Beulah Gray was again entertained with a lovely wine dinner at the Madison Hotel. The party was signed of Mrs. R. Hobson, Mr. Lex Brown of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. H. Dudley, the comedian.

Rev. Geo. Galois, one of the retired preachers, minister of the A. M. E. Church, sent \$800 in Liberty Bonds as a surprise gift to his daughters, Mrs. Geo. Galois, Mrs. Ruth Shelton, 1523 Good and Mrs. N. G. Clark, 4112 Missions Ave. Each daughter received a \$100 bond and daughter received a \$100 bond.

Mr. Chas. D. Joiner a former well known St. Louisian was in the city during the past week renewing old acquaintances and visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. Williams and Lee. Mrs. Joiner who is now making his home in St. Louis, was on his way to Hot Springs for the season.

The Arnette Crocker Club met at the residence of Mrs. C. C. Carter, 4232 Ashland, Wednesday, Jan. 19. The club was a pleasant reunion in which an elaborate lunch was served which all enjoyed.

The annual meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Marz, 2404 N. Pendleton. Mrs. W. H. Marz, secretary, Mrs. B. B. Murphy, reporter.

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Ertle Lee Robinson ..... 2506 Pine  
Joseph Lee Brown ..... 1740 S. 2nd  
Norton O. Bracy ..... 4340 Pine  
Maggie M. Sample ..... 112 S. Channing  
Will Lott ..... St. Louis, Ill.  
Hattie E. Grant ..... E. St. Louis, Ill.  
Charles B. Scott ..... 4140 West Belle  
Marie F. Matthews ..... 2035 Pine  
Raymond ..... 2918 N. 21st  
Mrs. G. L. ..... 2918 N. 21st  
Henry S. Case ..... 2630 Market  
Charles Robinson ..... 2630 Market  
James Washington ..... 2630 Market  
Annie Baker ..... 2630 Market  
Chastelard Harrington ..... 4220 Finney  
Mrs. Beatrice Jones ..... 4220 Finney  
Geo. Dillard ..... 2301 N. Montgomery  
Sallie Moore ..... 2301 N. Montgomery  
Guy C. Laury ..... 2301 N. Montgomery  
Arthur C. Clark ..... 2301 N. Montgomery  
Washington McAllister ..... 2301 N. Montgomery  
Artie Mahan ..... 2301 N. Montgomery

Mr. Jas. W. Grant's annual party to the graduates will be given at the Pythian Hall Auditorium, Friday evening, Jan. 25. Several new dances will be introduced including the new sensation "Polynesian." These annual events are a feature on the social calendar. All graduates, their parents, and friends are invited, and a gala time is anticipated.

## TO CORRECT AN ERRONEOUS IMPRESSION

Washington is flooded with applicants for clerical positions who have no qualifications for such work. The impression appears to exist that any one who comes to Washington can instantly get a job. Nothing could be more erroneous. The only way to get a job in Washington is by securing the qualifications by correspondence for experienced stenographers and typists. To avoid the expense and disappointment incident to this situation, applicants for positions are urged to take the civil service examination, or if not thus fortified should, if desiring employment with the Fuel Administration, first submit to an investigation of their qualifications by correspondence. The Fuel Administration is making no appointments of any kind except on the basis of fitness.

## C. UDELL THIRPIN IN OFFICERS' TRAINING CAMP

C. Udeell Thirpin, Rockford, Ill., Chicago (Tribune) of St. Louis, a student, was one of the four alternate candidates nominated by the University of Illinois to the third officers' training camp. The four men were given places in the school, Jan. 8, owing to failure to report on the part of principals. They received the unanimous recommendation of university authorities.

Young Thirpin is a graduate of Sumner High, St. Louis. His address, at Camp Grant is, 2nd Company, 3rd O.T.C.

## PIE QUESSING CONTEST

Come guess what the pie is made of and win the prize. Monday evening, Jan. 14th, 1918, at Warren A. M. E. Church, corner of 25th and Wash. St. Entertainment by the Missionary Club. Mrs. S. B. Woodfolk, president; I. Wallace, treasurer; M. Gilbert, secretary; Rev. R. E. Dobbins, pastor. Admission 10 cents.

## MAMIE EYE WANTED

If Mamie Rye, formerly of Greenview, Miss., will call at the Arms of the "Patriotic" information will be given her.

## NOTICE

All Colored Congregationalists in St. Louis are requested to call or communicate with Rev. Harold M. Kincaid, care of Y. W. C. A., by Monday night.

## Last Week in January

Reunion to "Patriotic" Agents at "Patriotic" College.

## MRS. HARVEY DAVIS DIES

Mrs. Harvey Davis, who resided at 3402 S. Burton Ave., for several years, died at Lawrence Memorial last Saturday afternoon, Jan. 19, at the age of 72. She was a member of Central Baptist Church. The deceased leaves a husband and two daughters to mourn her death. The remains were accompanied to Louisville, Ky., last Monday night, for interment.

Try the Accurate Laundry Co. for your household work. All heavy work guaranteed. Phone Room 2218-Centennial 4012-B.

Meet the crowd at the Battle of Flowers, Jan. 24th, Pythian Temple.

Musicians Who Are Masons.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of our dear daughter and sister, Julia D. Jones, who died in Chicago, Jan. 13, 1917.



A precious one from us has gone,  
A voice we loved is still;  
A flower that bloomed in our home,  
Which never can be filled.

One and all who have passed away,  
Sad and sudden was the call;  
We little thought to lose that day,  
Our dear daughter and sister loved by all.

We could not realize what was said,  
When the message came that she was dead.  
But they little know the grief,  
That's within our hearts concealed.

She shall never be forgotten,  
Never from our memory fade.  
Loving hearts will always linger,  
Around the grave where she was laid.

Sadly missed by mother, Mrs. J. D. Jones; sister, Mrs. T. Scott; brother, Mrs. Avenue Lynne.

Matthew Mangin, 4029 Finney Ave., died Jan. 9 after an illness of several months. He was a patient sufferer, but was consoled and baptized by Rev. Parker.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all our friends who stood by us in our hour of bereavement, also Gato and Maguel for courteous treatment, Riverside, Clifton and Sydney for their comforting words and our dear friends for floral offerings.

Mrs. Gertrude Mangin, wife of Mrs. Julia Jones, Mother-in-law.

## CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends and visitors who contributed so much by way of cheering and comforting my husband and family during his illness and death, who so softly ministered to the family and especially to the dear mother, we thank you. To the friends who were so kind to the dear mother, we thank you.

Mrs. Julia Jones, Mother-in-law.

## CARD OF THANKS

We heartily wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends for the kindness and words in our late bereavement in the loss of our dear mother, Mrs. Ida Riley, who made her departure from this world, Dec. 22, 1917. And especially the members of the New Hope Baptist Church, for the kindness, the members of the First Baptist Church, for their beautiful floral offerings, Rev. J. W. White and Rev. A. H. Bost, pastor of the First Baptist Church for their kind words of consolation.

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Thank you, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hopkins.

## IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our dear beloved husband, Kluwe Wagon Garrett, who died in Chicago, Jan. 10, 1917, and who will live forever in the memory of his wife.











